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COMPLAINT OPS-8952

related # 1050772

YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION

Complaint ID : OPS-8952

Name : [REDACTED]

Sex : MALE

Race : WHITE

Age :

Address : [REDACTED]

Your contact information

Best time to contact : 02:00 PM

Primary Contact Phone Number : [REDACTED]

E-mail Address : youave@hotmail.com

Your injury information

Were you injured in this incident? NO

Please describe the injury :

Did you need medical attention? NO

Hospital/Medical Center :

Please describe the medical treatment :

INFORMATION ABOUT THE INCIDENT

I WAS PART OF A GROUP OF 5 PEOPLE PROTESTING PEACEFULLY OUTSIDE THE CLOTHING STORE INTERMIX THEIR USE OF FUR. DURING THE PROTEST WE OCCASIONALLY USED A SIMPLE AND LIMITED POWER BULLHORN. THE USE OF BULLHORN IS ALLOWED BY CITY ORDINANCE 11-4-2800, WHICH STATES THAT THE VOLUME OF THE BULLHORN SHOULD NOT EXCEED CONVERSATION LEVEL 100 FEET AWAY. AT SOME POINT A POLICE SUV AND VAN CAME. THE OFFICER IN THE SUV CALLED WAYEN HSIUNG, THE PERSON WHO USED THE BULLHORN, OVER TO THE CAR. I WAS STANDING LESS THAN 5 YARDS AWAY AND COULD HEAR MOST OF THE EXCHANGE BETWEEN THEM. HE DID NOT KNOW THE LAW, WHICH DID NOT PREVENT HIM FROM TELLING [REDACTED] THAT HE COULD NOT USE THE BULLHORN. [REDACTED] WHO IS A LAWYER, EXPLAINED

Description of the incident :

POLITELY THAT THE USE OF A BULLHORN IS ALLOWED UNDER THE LIMITATION SPECIFIED ABOVE. THE OFFICER REPLIED THAT HE COULD HEAR THE BULLHORN FROM 75 FEET AWAY (WHICH IS WITHIN THE LAW). HE THEN SAID THAT IF HE COULD HEAR IT ANYWHERE, HE WOULD ARREST ALL OF US! WHEN [REDACTED] CONTINUED TO POLITELY EXPLAIN THAT THE USE OF THE BULLHORN IS ALLOWED BY LAW, THE OFFICER GOT MAD AND STARTED SHOUTING "SHUT UP! YOU ARE GOING TO DO WHAT I SAY!" WHEN THE OFFICER WAS ASKED FOR HIS NAME AND BADGE NUMBER, HE BECAME EVEN MORE MAD. HE MUMBLED HIS NAME QUICKLY. WHEN [REDACTED] ATTEMPTED TO TAKE A PHOTO OF THE OFFICER'S BADGE WITH HIS IPHONE, HE THREATENED TO ARREST HIM, SAYING THAT TAKING A PHOTO WAS ILLEGAL, AND TURNED HIS BODY INTO THE CAR, MAKING IT DIFFICULT TO SEE THE BADGE NUMBER. I THINK THE NAME WAS BURKE AND THE BADGE NUMBER 9352. THERE WERE 2 OTHER OFFICERS ON THE SCENE, ONE CAUCASIAN AND ONE ASIAN. THE FIRST ASKED [REDACTED] AT SOME POINT "WHY ARE YOU HERE?" A FEW MINUTES LATER, THE OFFICERS HAD A FRIENDLY CONVERSATION WITH A PERSON FROM THE STORE, POSSIBLY A SECURITY GUARD. THE OFFICER WAS RUDE AND USED ABUSIVE LANGUAGE. HE VIOLATED OUR CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT FOR FREE SPEECH, PROTECTED THE STORE ILLEGALLY, DID NOT RESPECT THE LAW AND TRIED TO AVOID GIVING HIS BADGE NUMBER.

Location of the incident

Street Number :	Direction : N	Street Name : RUSH ST.	Apt No. :
Building Name :	Floor : STREET LEVEL	Unit :	
Location Description :	IN FRONT OF THE INTERMIX STORE ON RUSH ST., AT THE NORTH-WEST CORNER OF RUSH ST. AND DELAWARE PL.		

Incident Date and Time**Date :** 12/17/2011**Time :** 02:45 PM

Evidence

Video Evidence : NO

Audio Evidence : NO

INFORMATION ABOUT THE POLICE OFFICERS**Police officer #1**

Last Name : BURKE

First Name :

Star No.. : 9352

Rank :

Assigned Unit :

On Duty : YES

Sex : MALE

Race : WHITE

Officer Description :

Police Vehicle Beat Number :

Vehicle Number :

License Plate :

Vehicle Description : OFFICER BURKE WAS DRIVING A POLICE SUV. THERE WAS A POLICE VAN ON THE SCENE AS WELL.

INFORMATION ABOUT VICTIMS AND WITNESSES**Victim #1 personal information**

Last Name : [REDACTED]

First Name : [REDACTED]

Sex : MALE

Race : ASIAN/PACIFIC
ISLANDER

Age :

Contact: [REDACTED]

Victim #1 injury information

Was the victim injured in this incident?: NO

Please describe the injury :

Did the victim need medical attention? NO

Hospital/Medical Center :

Please describe the medical treatment :

Witness #2 personal information

Last Name : [REDACTED]

First Name : [REDACTED]

Sex : MALE

Race : WHITE

Age :

Contact: [REDACTED]

Witness #2 injury informationWas the witness injured in this
incident?: NO

Please describe the injury :

Did the witness need medical
attention?: NO

Hospital/Medical Center :

Please describe the medical treatment: